

**Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**  
**Group Art Unit 1636**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Dakai Liu and Elazar Rabbani  
Serial No. 09/046,833 Group Art Unit: 1636  
Filed: March 24, 1998 Examiner: David Guzo

Title: INDEPENDENT HELPER VIRUS PACKAGING  
CELL LINE FOR PROPAGATING VIRAL VECTORS

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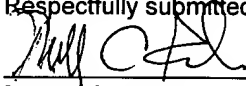
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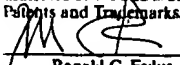
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**  
**EXPEDITED RESPONSE**  
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<b>APACKAGING CELL LINES FOR</b>	)	
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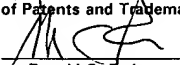
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**  
**(IN RESPONSE TO THE MAY 26, 1999 OFFICE ACTION)**

Dear Sirs:

Please enter this response (Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116) to the Office Action mailed on May 26, 1999 in connection with the above-identified application. This response is accompanied by a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) To Revive An Unintentionally Abandoned Application, a Terminal Disclaimer, and a Notice Of Appeal To The Board Of Patent Appeals And Interferences and authorization for the fees therefor. A response to the May 26, 1999 Office Action was originally due August 26, 1999. With the expected granting of the Petition, this response will be considered as having been timely filed.

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